# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE BOISE NATIONAL FOREST IDAHO CITY RANGER DISTRICT EMMETT RANGER DISTRICT LOWMAN RANGER DISTRICT

# AREA CLOSURE Pioneer Fire – Version #5 For Public Safety

# **PROHIBITIONS:**

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50 (a) and (b), the following act is prohibited on all lands as described in this order, within the Idaho City, Emmett, and Lowman Ranger Districts, Boise National Forest. This order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until Rescinded.

1. Going into or being upon the area as described in this order. 36 CFR 261.52(e)

# **EXEMPTIONS:**

Pursuant to 36 CFR § 261.50 (e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

- 1. Persons with a special use authorization or other Forest Service authorization specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order;
- 2. Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty;
- 3. Federal or State administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty;
- 4. Persons using National Forest System Road #379 (Elk Creek Road) from County Road #307 (Centerville Road) to NFS Road #379G (Spanish Fork) for private land owner access;
- 5. Persons using Hayfork, Bad Bear and Ten Mile Campgrounds and the summer homes located along Summer Home Road adjacent to Ten Mile Campground.
- 6. Persons using Mountain View Campground, Kirkham Hotsprings and Campground, and the summer homes accessible through Kirkham Hotsprings Campground.

# AREA DESCRIPTION:

The Pioneer Fire Closure Area is described as <u>all National Forest System (NFS) lands</u> (including all roads and trails within the area) within the following boundary - beginning in Idaho City at the Junction of County Road #307 (Centerville Road) and NFS Road ##307 (Main Street in Idaho City) located in Township 6 North, Range 5 East, Section 26; continuing northwesterly along, but not including County Road #307 to County Road #382 (Grimes Pass

Road) located in Township 6 North, Range 5 East, Section 6; continuing northerly along, but not including, County Road #382 to the point where County Road #382 makes a left turn at the bottom of Sweet Creek (along the South Fork of the Payette River) located in Township 8 North, Range 5 East, Section 10; continuing due north to, Highway 17 (Banks to Lowman Road) in Township 8 North, Range 5 East, Section 10; continuing east along, but not including, Highway 17 to NFS Road #024J in Township 8 North, Range 5 East, Section 2; continuing northeast along and including NFS Road #024J to NFS Trail #442 in Township 8 North, Range 5 East, Section 2; continuing north and including NFS Trail #442 to NFS Road #613 in Township 9 North, Range 5 East, Section 24; continuing north and including NFS Road #613 which becomes NFS Road #669 and turns southwest to NFS Road #669K in Township 9 North, Range 5 East, Section 13; continuing and including NFS Road #669K to NFS Trail #029 (Scott Mtn. Trail) in Township 9 North, Range 5 East, Section 14; continuing northeast and including NFS Trail #029 to NFS Road #555BC in Township 10 North, Range 6 East, Section 27; continuing northwest along and including NFS Road #555BC to NFS Trail #036 (Onion Valley Trail) in Township 10 North, Range 6 East, Section 20; continuing north along and including NFS Trail #036 to NFS Trail #025 (Lightning Ridge Trail) in Township 11 North, Range 6 East, Section 31: continuing northeast along and including NFS Trail #025 to NFS Road #572 in Township 11 North, Range 6 East, Section 25; continuing south along and including NFS Road #572 to NFS Road #555 in Township 11 North, Range 6 East, Section 36; continuing north, but not including NFS Road #555 to NFS Road #591 (Wilson Creek Road) in Township 11 North, Range 7 East, Section 5; continuing east/northeast along and including NFS Road #591 to NFS Road #510 (Whitehawk Road) in Township 12 North, Range 7 East, Section 34; continuing southeast along and including NFS Road #510 to NFS Road #582 in Township 10 North, Range 8 East, Section 3; continuing south and including NFS Road #582 to NFS Road #515 in Township 10 North, Range 8 East, Section 16; continuing northeast along and including NFS Road #515 to NFS Trail #145 (Clear Creek Trail) at the Red Mountain Trailhead in Township 10 North, Range 8 East, Section 1; continuing east along and including NFS Trail #145 to NFS Trail #144 (Kirkham Ridge Trail) in Township 11 North, Range 9 East, Section 33; continuing north along and including NFS Trail #144 to the intersection with Eightmile Creek in Township 11 North, Range 9 East, Section 28; continuing downriver (south) along and including Eightmile Creek to the junction with State Highway 21 in Township 9 North, Range 9 East, Section 17: continuing west on the northern side of Highway 21 (excluding Highway 21) to the intersection with Fence Creek in Township 9 North, Range 8 East, Section 26 (approximately 0.5 miles west of Helende CG entrance); continuing downstream (south) approximately 950' along and including Fence Creek to the confluence with the South Fork Payette River in Township 9 North, Range 8 East, Section 26; continuing downstream (southwest) along and including the South Fork Payette River approximately 200' to the confluence with Jackson Creek in Township 9 North, Range 8 East, Section 26; continuing upstream (east) along and including Jackson Creek to NFS Road #598 (Jackson Peak Road) in Township 9 North, Range 9 East, Section 32; continuing southerly along, and including, NFS Road #598 to NFS Road #312 (Graham Road) located in Township 8 North, Range 9 East, Section 5; continuing southeasterly along, and including, NFS Road #312 to the North Fork Boise River (Graham Bridge) located in Township 7 North, Range 10 East, Section 9; continuing southwesterly downriver along the North Fork Boise River to the intersection with NFS Rd #327 (Granite Creek Road) located in Township 7 North, Range 9 East, Section 28; continuing westerly along, and including, NFS Road #327 to Idaho State Highway 21 located in Township 6 North, Range 6 East, Section 30; continuing

southerly approximate 100 yards along, **but not including**, Idaho State Highway 21 to NFS Road #314C (Bear Run Cutoff) located in Township 6 North, Range 6 East, Section 30; continuing northerly along, **but not including**, NFS Road #314C to NFS Road #314B located in Township 6 North, Range 6 East, Section 19; continuing northerly along, **but not including**, NFS Road #314 (Bear Run Road) located in Township 6 North, Range 5 East, Section 13; continuing southwesterly along, **but not including** NFS Road #314 to NFS Road ##307 (Main Street in Idaho City) located in Township 6 North, Range 5 East, Section 26; continuing north along Main Street approximately ½ block back to the point of origin.

The above described area (including all roads and trails within the area) is located on National Forest System lands within the administrative and proclaimed boundaries of the Idaho City, Emmett, and Lowman Ranger Districts, Boise National Forest, Boise and Valley Counties, Idaho, Boise Meridian.

### **PURPOSE:**

The area as described above has ongoing wildfire activity (Pioneer Fire). This area is closed for public safety and protection from hazards associated with wildfire.

## **IMPLEMENTATION:**

- 1. This order will be in effect when signed and shall remain in effect until rescinded.
- 2. A map identifying the closure area is attached and made part of this order.
- 3. Violation of the above prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual, or \$10,000.00 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months. 16 U.S.C. §551; 18 U.S.C. §§ 3571(b)(6), 3581 (b)(7).
- 4. This order supersedes any previous order(s) prohibiting the same, or similar acts prohibited by this order in the areas (and/or roads, trails) covered by this order.
- 5. Further information regarding this order may be obtained at the Idaho City Ranger District located in Idaho City, ID, telephone number (208) 392-6681, the Garden Valley Ranger Station located in Garden Valley, ID, telephone number (208) 462-3241, the Lowman Ranger District located in Lowman, ID, telephone number (208) 259-3361, and at the Boise National Forest Supervisor's Office in Boise, ID, telephone number (208) 373-4100.

Done at Boise, Idaho this \_\_\_\_\_ day of August, 2016.

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Forest Supervisor

Boise National Forest